## **Candidate Questionnaire and Answers**

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COUNCIL	Casey City Council 2024
WARD (if applicable)	Akoonah Ward
CANDIDATE'S NAME (as on ballot paper)	SHAH, Kushal

What is your vision for the municipality of the above Council? (maximum 50 words)

My vision is to use my professional expertise to make the Casey Council a strong model of good governance, integrity, transparency and financial management. Only then can it meet community expectations and restore trust. My '4Cs for Casey' vision will deliver on this.

What expertise or attributes do you have which would help you in undertaking the role of Councillor? *Provide details (maximum 50 words)* 

I bring more than 25 years of proven professional experience and expertise in governance, financial management, integrity and law, and improving organisational performance to achieve objectives. I have successfully used my professional expertise to consistently deliver successful community outcomes through my Board roles and involvement in public policy.

Have you read the current Council Plan for the council named above?	Yes
Have you read the current Councillor Code of Conduct for the council named above?	Yes
Are you endorsed by a registered political party?  Note: Registered political party has the same meaning as in Part 4 of the Electoral Act 2002.  If yes, provide the name of the registered political party.	No
Are you currently a Councillor?	No
If yes, what has been your attendance record at Council meetings during your current term of office?	
<b>Note:</b> Council meetings means Council meetings referred to in section 61 of the Local Government Act 2020 but does not include meetings held for which a Councillor has been granted leave from attending by the Council.	

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